

Liber B No. 1 Wee th^e Com^{rs} for th^e Countie of Sommersett Doe order & appointe Jinkin Prise Ambros Dixson Roger Wollford John Waller & James Dashiell to be surveyors for th^e High wayes & to proceed to th^e makeing of A high way according to Act of Assembly

[p. 40] At A Court helld th^e 27th November 1666 for th^e Countie of Sommersett in th^e province of Maryland

Present

m^r William Stevens

Capt William Thorne

m^r Henry Boston

m^r John Winder

m^r George Johnson

Whereas Macum Thomas p^rferd a peti^on agst Jinkin Prise wherein he Complained th^t he had bought a parcell of Land of Jinkin Prise & paid one thousand five hundred pounds of tobacco in part for itt; & that Jinkin Prise denyed to make over th^e said Land by Conveyance according to Lawe whereupon th^e Court ordered that Jinkin Prise shoulld by Conveyance make over th^e said land to Macum Thomas & pay Cost of sute, & that Macum Thomas & Thomas Ball shoulld giue bond to Jinkin Prise for five hundred ponds of tobacco to be paid this yeare & one thousand pounds of tobacco to be p^d next yeare or the value thereof as alsoe th^e said Macum Thomas to pay foure Matchcoates

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This Day m^r Steven Horssi high Sherriffe p^rsented A Jury of Inquest who were sworne, vizt:

m^r James Davis Foreman

William Boyes

Jeffery Minshall

Robert Cattling

Allexander Draper

Robert Hignett

Edward Southern

William Jones

Daniell Hast

James Prise

William Furnis

John Kinge

The Oath of th^e Jury of Enquest

You shall dilligently inquire & true p^rsentm^t make of all such things as you shall be charged wth Concerning th^e Lord Proprietiers & th^e Lawes established; you shall not conceale nor hide any thinge for fauour feare promise or affec^on you beare to any person or persons or present any thing for hatred or Malice you beare to any Man but you shall p^rsent th^e truth th^e whole truth & nothing but th^e truth Soe help you God & by th^e Contents of this booke/

Nehemiah Covington was sworne this day Constable